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## **PRESS RELEASE**

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# **TWO BROTHERS FROM GILA RIVER INDICTED FOR MURDER**

**PHOENIX, ARIZONA -- SAMUEL STONE**, 20, and his brother, **SHAWN STONE**, 18, of Sacaton, Arizona, were indicted on two counts of First Degree Murder by a federal grand jury, in federal district court, Phoenix, Arizona.

The indictment alleges that on November 2, 1999, on the Gila River Indian Reservation, **SAMUEL STONE** and **SHAWN STONE** murdered David Riley. It is further alleged that on November 14, 1999, **SAMUEL STONE** and **SHAWN STONE** murdered Delroy Rivers.

The maximum penalty for First Degree Murder is life imprisonment.

The investigation that led to the arrest and indictment in this case was conducted by the Criminal Investigation Division of the Gila River Law Enforcement Services and the Federal Bureau of Investigation,

The case is being prosecuted by the U. S. Attorney's Office, District of Arizona, Phoenix, Arizona.

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